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THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1905.

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TALK OF THE TOWN.

A sale of Lockwood cotton at The Vaughan Store.

Well, above all things avoid imitations. Use Ruberoid.

No. 1 hay for sale. Enquire of Ed. Bellville at McGowan's.

If you are in search of a nice suit or overcoat, go to McWhorter's.

For sale—Four-foot green hard wood. Ed. Bellville, at M. J. McGowan's store.

Old gold and silver wanted at refiners' prices in exchange for goods at F. E. Burr's.

Saws filed. Prompt work and satisfaction guaranteed. L. E. Griswold, 94 North Main street.

We are receiving new music every day. Only 25c per copy. W. Frank Harris, Hale Block.

Morrison & Burnham have just received 25 acclimated horses which they offer for sale. See adv.

Regular meeting of Court Granite City, No. 3, F. of A., Thursday evening, the 26th, at 7 o'clock. Important.

Be sure and see Jerusha Dow's Family Album to be shown by the Y. W. C. T. U., Friday, Jan. 27, at 7:30 o'clock.

We guarantee you 5 per cent on your investment and centrally located real estate, your security. Room 15 Miles' block.

Mrs. Minnie M. Wheeler will do shampooing, chiropody and manicuring by appointment at your home. No. 11 Walnut street. Telephone 213-3.

Facciamo noto alla colonia italiana ed agli organizzatori di feste famigliari, che per la data 11 Febbraio si dara una festa da ballo al Miles hall a favore di Alberto Checchi.

There will be a business meeting of the members of the Vincinia club, at the club rooms, on Thursday evening, January 26th, at eight o'clock. As there is important business to be done, it is requested that as many as possible be present.

Le ragazze che frequentarono l'anno scorso la scuola per imparare a cucire sono avvisate che la scuola e stata riaperta e sono invitate di recarsi ogni Sabato alle 2 pom all Emergency Room nel palazzo della Posta ove si tiene la scuola.

The quarterly meeting of the Civic Federation of Women's clubs will be held at the library rooms on Elm street Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. As this is one of the regular meetings let every member of the different clubs feel it her duty to attend.

The partnership of Henry J. and W. D. Smith, meat dealers, having been dissolved January 2, 1905, they desire that all bills owed them be settled up immediately to save cost of collection and that all bills against them be presented not later than February 1.

We wish to inform the people of Barre that we have moved our stock of goods from the A. Tomasi block to the Co-operative store, 303 N. Main street. We have been refused permission to move our sign, but we are not located in the A. Tomasi block. Meaker Bros.

In the window at E. A. Drown's drug store there is a box of coal and an interesting plan is connected with it. Every person after buying a bottle of "Drown's Warranted" cough medicine is entitled to one guess on the number of pieces of coal in the box; also a free guess is given with every other purchase after first buying a bottle of cough cure. The person who guesses the nearest to the number of pieces of coal in the box gets a ton of coal delivered at the house. It is certainly worth trying for.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At the Red Cross and Parlor Drug Stores. Price, 25 cents. Guaranteed.

CHELSEA.

Owing to the illness and death of his grandmother, Elton Taylor who was billed to be here this week will have to postpone his engagement until the week beginning January 29. E. L. Taylor, Barre, Vt.

GRANITEVILLE.

Summit Lodge, No. 397, N. E. O. P., will hold a special meeting Tuesday evening, January 31, 1905, at 7:30 sharp. All members are requested to be present.

ORANGE.

There will be a lecture at Town Hall February 24th by Rev. F. A. Poole of Barre, followed by a bean supper given by the ladies. Admission, including supper, 25 cents. Everybody invited.

Keep Thinking About It.

Cough Syrup that are constipating leave the stomach and bowels in a dangerous condition. A cough syrup that is a laxative is sure to give better results. Lix-all is a laxative, and if it fails to cure your cough or cold we will pay back your money. E. A. Drown, Barre. D. F. Davis, Barre. E. A. Drown, Barre. F. A. Alasworth, Williamstown.

PRESIDENT'S PLUM TREE

Thousands of Positions at His
Disposal After Inauguration

PRIZES IN THE STATE DEPT

Secretary Taft Believed to Be Slated
for Chief Justice of
the Supreme
Court.

When President Roosevelt begins "shaking the plum tree" after March 4 there will be many thousand positions at his disposal with salaries ranging from \$17,500 a year to nothing but glory, says a Washington special dispatch to the New York World. In addition there are innumerable commissions in the army, navy, marine corps and judiciary.

There is a greater chance for the office seeker in the postoffice department than in any other branch of the government, for 5,082 of the places at the president's disposal are there. A majority of these are postmasterships, which pay salaries ranging from \$8,000 in New York to \$1,000 in small offices. More than fifty of the presidential postmasters receive \$3,500 or more.

The state department will furnish the highest salaried positions. There are five ambassadorships which pay \$17,500 each, two which pay \$12,000—Australia and Italy—and thirty ministers abroad who receive salaries ranging from \$12,000 to \$4,000 a year. Five of whom receive the maximum and ten of them \$10,000. In all, the state department will furnish 1,109 appointments, which include the consular service, ranging, with salaries and fees, from \$15,000 to \$20,000 of the consul general at London to an office where only fees are allowed.

The president is expected to be able to bestow the chief justiceship of the supreme court on Secretary Taft. This place pays \$13,000 a year for life, and on retirement the chief justice draws retired pay. An associate justice may also retire during the term of President Roosevelt. This pays \$12,500 and is for life, with retired pay.

There are 123 collectorships which pay from \$12,000 a year to \$1,000. The treasury department is a rich field, for there are 702 offices, including those named. The assistant treasurer of the United States at New York gets \$8,000 a year—as much as the secretary of the treasury himself—and there are eight assistant treasurers of the United States, who receive from \$5,000 to \$4,500. In the mint and assay offices there are twenty-six offices paying from \$2,500 to \$4,500 a year. There are also sixty-seven collectors of internal revenue, who receive \$4,500 each; forty-five surveyors of customs and six naval officers of customs, all receiving high salaries.

In the interior department there are 331 presidential berths, paying from \$4,500 to \$1,000 a year; in the department of commerce there are forty-one places; in the war department are nine presidential positions and in the navy department only three of these places. The department of agriculture has but three places which the president can fill. These figures include the cabinet officer at the head of the department and the assistant to the cabinet officer.

Under the department of justice there is a large batch of presidential offices. There are at the head of the list a solicitor general, receiving \$7,000; an assistant to the attorney general, receiving \$7,000; six assistant attorneys general, drawing from \$4,500 to \$5,000, and two solicitors at \$4,500 and \$4,000. Then there are eighty-six district attorneys, one assigned to each federal district. It has been stated that the fees of the attorney for the district including New York city have at times amounted to \$100,000. All of these positions in the department of justice can be had by lawyers only; but, in addition, there are eighty-six United States marshalships open to laymen and paying from \$2,500 to \$4,000.

Some tempting presidential plums are also to be found among the federal commissions. The five interstate-commerce commissioners receive \$7,500 each. Spanish-American claims commissioners \$8,000, members of the commission to codify the penal laws \$5,000 and members of the civil service commission \$3,500.

In addition there are about 125 federal judges and seven midshipmen to the Naval academy and forty cadets to West Point.

Of course all these places are not available, but the president could, except in the case of the judiciary, remove any one now holding a position. The list includes all offices which he could fill if he really wanted to and does not include the personal force at the White House.

Wire Gun's Test.

It is reported by an official of the Brown wire gun that at a recent contest of the six inch gun under Lieutenant Colonel Charles S. Smith, commandant at the Sandy Hook proving grounds, the weapon in one of five shots made a world's record for a gun fifty calibers long by attaining a muzzle velocity of 3,290 feet per second and a pressure of 42,280 pounds to the square inch, the projectile weighing 100 pounds and being propelled by sixty-eight pounds of smokeless powder.

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INDUSTRIOUS VIRGINIA HENS

One County of State Alone Shipped
10,800,000 Eggs Last Year.

The western part of Virginia has been known for years as a great section for raising poultry, and the industry is increasing at a rapid rate, says a Richmond special dispatch to the Chicago Inter Ocean. The shipment of Thanksgiving turkeys and chickens for all seasons brings in a considerable revenue. The Harrisonburg News recently compiled the figures of the egg production of Rockingham county for the past year. It finds that 30,000 crates were shipped to market, a total of 10,800,000 eggs sold from one county in a single year. This does not include many thousands consumed on the farms where they are laid.

The lowest price of the year was 14 to 15 cents a dozen, and in December 32 cents was paid. The average for the past year was 22 cents. The profit from eggs alone to Rockingham county farmers was nearly \$200,000. Virginia is able to put aside a very creditable "nest egg" from the profit of a year's work of her industrious hens.

The Chinese Voice.

The Chinese voice lacks two notes; its scale has six notes instead of eight. The fourth and the seventh notes are the missing ones.

CURTIS & SEDERQUIST

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8.35 a. m.—Week days only. Connects at Montpelier Junction with mail train for Boston, Springfield and New York, also with local train northbound for Burlington, Rutland, Richford and Montreal.

11.55 a. m.—Week days only. Boston, Springfield, New York and New London fast express. Buffet parlor car Montpelier Junction to Boston. Parlor car Montpelier Junction to Springfield.

1.30 p. m.—Week days only. For Williams-town.

3.10 p. m.—Week days only. Mail train for Burlington, St. Albans, Cambridge Junction, Ogdensburg, Richford and Montreal.

4.30 p. m.—Week days only. For Williams-town.

8.30 p. m.—Week days only. Montreal and Chicago fast express. Connects at Burlington with local train for Rutland. Connects at Montpelier Junction with local train southbound for White River Junction and intermediate stations.

Trains reach Montpelier about 30 minutes after leaving Barre.

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Trains leave Barre for Wells River, connecting at that point with trains going both north and south, at 7.30 a. m., 12.30 and 3.15 p. m. The 12.30 train connects with train for Boston and north for Lisbon, Littleton, Fabyans and Lancaster, also with Montreal express, and the 7.30 and 3.15 trains with St. Johnsbury trains.

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Maryland Brand Strawberries, per can..... 10c
Alaska Pink Salmon, per can..... 10c

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